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which, in my experience of about 19 years, confirms the belief that it is one of the best Mixed Paints manufactured, both in point of economy and durability.

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A desirable business, including stock and fixtures, located on North Street, for sale very cheap.

Best of reasons for selling.

Gardner & McWilliams,

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LOTS OF ELBOW ROOM

JUMPIN JOE MEETS A MAN WHO IS PARTICULAR ABOUT HIS GRAVE.

He Thought to Jump Joe's Claim, but Joe Came Upon Him From an Unexpected Quarter—He Escapes With a Promise to Live Better.

After spending two days in the peaceful town of Lucky Chance and doing a driving business with my monster aggregashun I departed for home to enjoy a brief season of rest and manufacture six quarts of my celebrated Cherokee sassy-parilly fur fucher use. The public should not confound my sassy-parilly with any of the other so called restorers on sale in this territory, and most of which are simply barbed wire fence in disguise. Keep the bottle in a cool place when possible and allus shake before usin. I was movin along in happiness and contentment, and approachin the humble shanty in which I reside when not contributin to the fizical and moral welfar of humanity, when I meets up with a human critter s'arbin about fur fuel.

"Waal, I dunno," sez he as he looks up at me. "I hain't got no pertickler trouble on hand jist now, and I'm thinkin to live as long as the rest of 'em. Ar' ye in the preachin line?"

"Nay, I'm simply tryin to feller the golden rule and alleviate the sufferin's of my feller men. Integrity ar' the highway to success, and that's how I'm headed."

"I'm also alleviatin more or less," sez the man as he smiles with the blandness of a nursin child.

"As to which?" sez I.

"As, fur instance, I've alleviated an ole kuss of his shanty and his claim over that hill. He wasn't to him as I driv up, but I'm spectin him back every hour and hev got things ready fur him!"

"As to how?"

"As to his grave, mostly. It's dug and waitin to receive him, and I shall pop him over as gently as I kin."

"Yer heart seems to be sailin about in the milk of human kindness," sez I, knowin that it was my claim he had jumped.

"That's her," sez he, "but that milk of human kindness kinder years fur sunthin solid to back it. In other words, I seek to mingle kindness and bizness. In plantin the afore-said ole kuss whar the sorners of this world kin affeck him no more I also take posseshun of the claim. Dost 'tumble?"

"I dost. He who hath v'archw in his soul wrongeth no one."

"That's how I figger. I'm actually doin in the man a favor by removin him from whar he whences. Might ye hev a leetle side line of yer own, stranger?"

"Yen, I might."

"Ar' she a side line to amoose the public and cause yer feller man to temporarily forget that he was born to endure the aches and pains of aith?"

"It's sunthin to that effect, and with-out any charge fur admishun, and with-out expectin any pertickler expresshuns of gratitudo on yer part. I will now purcede to exhibit my line."

"Does she begin with fireworks?" sez the man as I leveled a gun on him at a distance of six feet.

"Not allus. She sumtimes begins with a performance by my educated hog Ramulus, which the same ar' now rooin fur grub behind ye, but on this occasion I hev made a deputar. Ye war speakin about an ole kuss and a shanty and a grave."

"Yes, I war speakin about that same, and durm me if I hain't bin flopped!"

"As to how?"

"As to yer ben that same ole kuss! I was lookin fur him to arriv' from the other way. Trooly, life is unartin."

"When ye jumped that ole kuss, ye knowed the custom of the kentry, I take it?"

"I did, but I took my chances. I was figgerin to hev the fast shot. Stranger, in spite of yer phend and innuervent lookin countenance, ye hain't no tenderfoot yearn-in fur a mother's lullaby. In fur ye hain't in no pertickler hurry to pull trigger, ye might want to interdoce yerself. When a feller is goin to be shot, it's sum sort of satisfackshun to know the name of the reptile at the other end of the gun."

"I'm generally called Jumpin Joe when thar's any call for a name," sez I.

"Is it fur yer jumpin?"

"Waal, I've jumped at least half a dozen critters who hev tried to jump my claim."

"I see. I'm no kicker agin dyin, but I feel it my dooty to say a word or two more about that grave."

"Ye'll naturally figger on makin use of it?"

"Naturally."

"But ye'll be disappointed. It's too short fur me by a foot, and the site is the hardest diggin fur—ten miles around. If ye want to go ahead and shute, don't stop on my account, but I do obgec agin bein cramped up in a grave."

"Ye want full length and sunthin to spar and fells of elbow room, I take it?"

"That's krect. I'm the party most interested, and I've got rights."



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for women, according to whether they do, or don't do, their washing in a sensible way. If they use Pearlina, it means good, hard dollars saved. Pearlina is economy. All that ruinous rubbing that makes you buy linens and flannels twice as often as you need to, is spared, to say nothing of your time and labor.

See the troubles that women have to endure with other ways of washing. There's that hard, wearin-out rub, rub, rub, or the danger of ruining things with acids if you try to make it easy. Washing with Pearlina is absolutely safe.

Send it Back
Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearlina." IT'S FALSE—Pearlina is never peddled, and if your grocer sends you something in place of Pearlina, be honest—send it back.

"America's Greatest Men and Women."

MR. WILSON TALKS.

My Name is Wilson; I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience was and am barely established; still, I succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has a bigger man in the world.

I feel confident, though, that if I could learn, some way and somehow, what the people who are so successful to day have done and how they did it, I could give to my boy such advice as would make his own life at least as far removed from failure as justified for some authority which I might consult in order to give him the facts most essential with this idea of mine in mind, but I could find none until I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book

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"Mebbe ye'd reform and becom an ornament to society if I let ye go?" sez I, realizin how much trouble the buryin would put me to, with my hands full of the sassy-parilly and grand aggregashun of reptile intelligence.

"That's how I figger," sez he. "Ten miles down the road thar's an ole reputashun who hain't of no account to his wife and seven children, bein given over to laziness, drink, terbacker and the other evils of life. I'll go down and pop him over, plant him in the properest shape and then marry the widder and be a father to them children and a leader of society. Kin a varmint do more?"

"Not in this Cherokee kentry at the present time, and ye kin take yer deputar!"

"With yer permisshun I'll go to once," sez he, "bein as the walkin is bad and I may hev to lay around a day or two to get sight of the ole man. Stranger, layin my hand on a heart which ar' void of guile, I wish thee a fondly adev!"

I kept my eyes on him till he was fur away and then gathered my aggregashun around me and perceeded humward to diskiver that he had left me a rifle, a pistol, two blakkits and fodder 'nuff to last a week. Varchew may not be her own reward in other porshuns of this glorious land, but she sartainly pays big dividends in Cherokee and don't seem to git tired over it either.

Too Smart For Him.
They met in a street car, and the woman with the golf cap remarked:

"I see you still have the same house."

"Yes, and at the same rent," remarked the woman with the ostrich bon.

"But I thought your landlord had decided to raise it?"

"He did, but somehow I didn't expect to move, though Tom gave up the house at once. You see, I really can't afford to have any more bricks smashed in moving wagons. I've lost enough already to stock a department store."

"So you decided not to move?"

"Not quite, dear. You see, I told the landlord that I was sorry to move, but we really couldn't afford a higher rent, and that I myself would gladly show the house to intending tenants. Then I set every room in order and waited."

"Well, I really thought that the first woman who came would take it. I praised the closets and told her what swell neighbors she had, and—"

"But I thought you didn't want to?"

"No, dear. But just as she was leaving I casually mentioned the fact that two persons had died of typhoid fever in the next house above and one two doors below. She seemed somewhat agitated, and when I called the landlord's address after her she didn't seem much interested."

"But, Maggie, you know that was—"

"That time ago?" Yes, but I never could remember dates, and the people did die."

"Well, did she?"

"Never went near. The bedchambers were too small for the next people, and the next ones were delighted, but thought the rent rather dear. Then I remarked that immediately after lunch I intended to run around and engage that lovely little house in the next square at a lower rent. They carelessly asked which house, and I noticed that they turned that corner."

"How could you?"

"Well, you know, it was cheaper, and if they had taken our house I should have been obliged to rent that, for it was near enough to have my bric-a-brac carried."

"Your landlord told me that the Swell-styler intended to take it."

"They did, but after Mrs. Swell-styler and I had gone all over it I said, 'Your children all look so healthy that I think the house will just suit you, but mine, you know, are rather delicate, and the least hint of sewer gas alarms us.' She turned pale, and I knew at once that not even the parlor mantel would induce her to take it."

"And the landlord?"

"Oh, he came around that evening and said that as we were such good tenants he had decided not to raise the rent. Tom was so surprised."

"No wonder," gasped her friend. "This is our stopping place. Come and have a cream soda. I feel faint."—Chicago Trib une.

A Bad Cut.
He loved her, and he told her so. "I spurn your suit," she said, with in finite Woodward avenue scorn.

He burst into tears. "Why, oh, why?" he cried appealingly. She looked him over with critical cruelty.

"Because it was made in Toledo," she hissed between her clenched teeth.

"Then he rose from his knees, shook the bags out of them and went forth aimlessly."—Detroit Free Press.

Similar.
Here is a story of a schoolmaster who promised a crown to any boy who should propound a riddle that he could not answer.

One and another tried, and at last a boy asked, "Why am I like the Prince of Wales?"

The master puzzled his wits in vain and finally was compelled to admit that he did not know.

"Why," said the boy, "it's because I am waiting for the crown."—Tit-Bits.

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS

come to you if you're a suffering woman. The messenger in this case is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

It's a tonic and nerve, a remedy prescribed by an eminent physician, a specialist for all the peculiar ailments and ailments of women.

Miss Meeker was sick and we called in one of the best doctors here. She got so weak that I had to help her out of bed and draw her in a chair.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, in less than a week she was out of bed and has been working about five weeks now, and looks the picture of health.

As for myself I am much better now, and feel much more comfortable. Before taking the "Favorite Prescription" I was suffering from a bad cold and influenza.

PIERCE'S GREAT CURE.
LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city.

14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, C. W. R. E.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—South street and Waver Ave., shoe shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and corner Liberty street.
19—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
20—West Main street, corner West street.
21—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
22—James and Henry streets.
23—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
24—Lake avenue and West street.
25—V. Main street, corner Monahan avenue.
26—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
27—Fulton and Madison street, hat shops.
28—Chicago and Randolph streets.
29—Canal street, condensery.
30—Mulberry and East street.
31—Fulton street and East street.
32—Academy and Houston avenues.
33—E. Main street and East street.
34—E. Main street and East street.
35—Academy avenue and Genung street.
36—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
37—Grand street and Sprague avenue.
38—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.
The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations during June 17th, '94, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y. L. E. & W. RAILROAD.
EAST BOUND.

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DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

For Governor, DAVID BENNETT HILL.
For Lieutenant-Governor, DANIEL N. LOCKWOOD.
For Judge of the Court of Appeals, WILLIAM J. GAYNOR.

Many prominent New Jersey Democrats attended a conference at Trenton, yesterday, at which arrangements were made for an active and aggressive campaign, which is to be entered on at once.

A Democratic campaign club, to be known as the Liberty Hill and Lockwood Club, was organized in Liberty, last Saturday evening. The officers are Roger Sears, President; D. S. Hill, Vice-President, M. J. Flynn, Secretary, and L. C. Geiser, Corresponding Secretary.

It is a significant fact that the towns in Connecticut, which, on Monday, showed Republican gains at the town elections almost invariably voted for license, though many of them had been "dry" for years. This happened too often to be a mere coincidence and suggests a possible alliance of Republicanism with liquor, which "the party of great moral ideas" would once have scorned to make.

The Grace Democracy of New York city, yesterday, notified the Committee of Seventy, which is trying to unite all anti-Tammany interests on a candidate for Mayor, that the candidate selected must be a Democrat or the organization would not give him its support. The Republicans are equally earnest in demanding the nomination of a Republican. The estimable gentlemen who have undertaken to secure reform in New York by lifting municipal affairs out of politics are finding that the ways of reformers are not ways of pleasantness.

The Shepard "Democracy" of Brooklyn voted, last night, not to support the Democratic State ticket. Shepard, the leader of these so-called Democrats, is an original anti-snapper, who has always posed as a warm friend and devoted adherent of President Cleveland. He now proposes to prove his friendship and his Democracy by helping the enemies of the President, of Democracy and of Democratic policy bring about Democratic defeat in the President's own State, and thus bring discredit on him and his administration. Many such friends as Mr. Shepard would ruin an administration guided by the patriotism of Washington, the wisdom of Solomon and the statecraft of Bismarck.

The address of the Democratic members of the Constitutional Convention to the voters of the State, which was made public, yesterday, criticizes the Republican majority for its failure to embody in the new constitution the anti-trust amendment which would have made impossible criminal combinations to increase the cost of the necessities of life; for its disregard of the just demands of the labor interests of the State; for its non-fulfillment of its pledge to grant home rule to cities; for its subservience to caucus dictation and its settled purpose to consider the interests of the Republican party as of more moment than those of the people of the State.

Naturally the address devotes special attention to the most odious feature of the convention's work, the caucus-made apportionment, which substitutes territorial representation for popular representation, and, as has truly been said, "makes acres not men the basis of representation in the State Legislature." The sole aim and purpose of the makers of the apportionment was to devise a scheme that would give the Republicans a majority in the Legislature, no matter how great might be their minority on the popular vote. How they propose to do this is thus told in the address:

This plan postpones any new enumeration until 1905. It prevents any new apportionment until after 1905. It forecloses the future by prescribing impossible conditions even to the Legislature of 1906. Without public demand it increases the Senate from thirty-two to fifty and the Assembly from 128 to 150, at an increased annual expense approaching one hundred thousand dollars. It destroys the proportion of four to one between the Assembly and the Senate, which has existed since 1821. It creates fifteen Senate districts with a population greater than fifteen other districts by 459,672. It leaves unrepresented a population in Democratic districts of 131,287. It

over represents Republican districts by 130,348. It thus makes a discrimination against Democratic districts of 261,635. It permits 35,572 citizens in Republican districts, but requires at least 41,000 citizens in Democratic districts to elect an Assemblyman. It prescribes that 115,817 citizens shall be entitled to a Senator, but it affords to the Republican counties of Erie and Monroe an additional Senator by one-half that number. It refuses the Democratic counties of New York and of Kings an additional Senator for any number less than 115,817. Should either the county of New York or of Kings become entitled by its increased population to additional senators, it can only gain such senators by an increase in the total number of the Senate, for the other districts of the State will still retain their quota of senators. It provides that New York shall never, no matter how great its population, have more than one-third of the senators. It provides that Kings shall never, no matter how great its population, have more than one-third of the senators. It fastens Republican rule on the State regardless of popular will, inasmuch as a majority of 75,000 in the State against the Republican party will not disturb its hold upon the Legislature. By providing that in New York and in Kings each senatorial district shall be within five hundred of the population of the adjoining district, it seeks to prevent a new apportionment. The impracticability of this rule is confessed by the construction in this proposed apportionment of two adjoining districts in the county of Kings which differ in their population by 28,700.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE FRENCH-ENGLISH COMPLICATION

Meeting of the French Council Called—Views of London Papers—Effect on Markets—Lord Dufferin's Views.

PARIS, Oct. 3.—The French Cabinet has been summoned to meet concurrently with the British Ministerial Council, to-morrow.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The *Fall Mail Gazette* says the meetings of the French-English Cabinets, which have been called for the same date, are to consider mutual proposals for the settlement of differences arising between the two nations.

The *Globe* assigns the condition of affairs in Madagascar and the grievance of England regarding Egypt as the cause of the meeting.

The *Westminster Gazette* says that according to the Salisbury treaty of 1890, the French have the right to a protectorate over Madagascar, but adds that a protectorate differs from complete occupation.

The calling of Cabinet Councils by France and England imported a sudden impetus to the Liverpool grain market, to-day.

BELFAST, Oct. 3.—Lord Dufferin, the British Ambassador to France, was interviewed, to-day. He says he is prepared to be recalled at any moment, but saw no reason for immediate alarm in the relations between Great Britain and France.

THE CYCLONE AT LITTLE ROCK.

The Male Department of the Insane Asylum Itazed—Three Inmates Killed and Four Injured.

LITTLE ROCK, Oct. 3.—The first reports of damage done to the Arkansas State Insane Asylum by the cyclone, last evening, are confirmed. All of the male department and annex were razed, three inmates were killed and four injured.

Over a score of persons were injured in the city and much damage was done. All but twenty of the inmates of the insane asylum have been discovered, and some have been placed in jail for safe keeping. The damage to the asylum was \$150,000.

TRI-COUNTY FIREMEN'S PARADE.

Largest Gathering of Firemen Ever Seen in Eastern New York.

HUDSON, Oct. 3.—The Tri-County Firemen's Convention, composed of the counties of Columbia, Ulster and Greene, held in this city, to-day, was the largest gathering of firemen ever seen in this part of the State.

The procession was composed of fifty-eight companies and forty-six bands and drum corps. At least 3,000 uniformed men were in line.

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HILL AND WHITNEY CONFERENCE. BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Senator Hill had a conference with ex-Secretary Whitney at the Murry Hill, this afternoon.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—Oct. 4.—Parade of Middletown Fire Department.

—Oct. 5.—Mollie Whitten's Jockey Minstrels, at the Casino.

—Oct. 6.—Young Mrs. Winthrop, at Casino.

—Oct. 8.—Organ recital at Congregational Church.

—Oct. 8 and 9.—Orange festival at St. Paul's Church.

—Oct. 10.—Middletown Wheelmen's meet, at Campbell track.

—Oct. 13 and 14.—District Epworth League Convention at Liberty.

—Oct. 31.—Ball of Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, at Assembly Rooms.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North Street, Middletown, N. Y.

Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

New York, Oct. 3, '94.

| | High | Low | Close |
|----------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Sugar | 8 1/2 | 8 1/4 | 8 3/4 |
| A. T. & S. F. | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4 |
| O. B. & Q. | 7 1/2 | 7 1/2 | 7 1/2 |
| Chicago Gas. | 7 1/4 | 6 3/4 | 7 0 |
| Dia. & Oct. F. | 8 1/4 | 8 1/4 | 8 1/4 |
| Erie | 14 1/4 | 13 1/4 | 14 1/4 |
| Gen. Electric. | 37 1/2 | 36 1/2 | 37 1/2 |
| L. & N. | 34 1/4 | 34 1/4 | 34 1/4 |
| M. P. | 135 | 135 | 135 |
| N. Y. & N. E. | 27 1/4 | 26 1/4 | 27 1/4 |
| N. Y. O. | 30 | 30 | 30 |
| N. Y. & N. E. | 103 | 102 1/4 | 103 |
| N. Y. Pfd. | 18 | 17 1/4 | 17 1/4 |
| O. & W. | 16 1/4 | 16 1/4 | 16 1/4 |
| Manhattan | 116 | 115 | 116 |
| P. & R. | 118 1/2 | 118 1/2 | 118 1/2 |
| P. & R. | 17 1/2 | 17 1/2 | 17 1/2 |
| C. M. & St. P. | 60 1/2 | 60 1/2 | 60 1/2 |
| U. S. Steel | 61 1/2 | 61 1/2 | 61 1/2 |
| W. Union | 87 1/2 | 85 1/2 | 86 1/2 |
| U. S. Cordage | 13 1/4 | 13 1/4 | 13 1/4 |
| Nat. Lead | 37 1/2 | 36 1/2 | 36 1/2 |
| Dec. Corn | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 |
| May Oats | 47 1/4 | 47 1/4 | 47 1/4 |
| Jan. Pork | 38 1/2 | 38 1/2 | 38 1/2 |
| Jan. Lard | \$12 90 | \$12 75 | \$12 82 |
| | 7 50 | 7 40 | 7 40 |

DIED.

KIERMAN.—At Port Orange, N. Y., Tuesday, Oct. 2d, '94, by accident, Thomas Kierman, aged sixty-eight years.

Funeral Thursday, Oct. 4th, at nine thirty a. m., from late residence, Port Orange, N. Y., and eleven o'clock at Otisville, with requiem high mass. Interment at Otisville.

SHIELDS.—At Port Orange, N. Y., Tuesday, Oct. 2d, '94, by accident, Thomas Shields, of New York city, aged twelve years.

Funeral at home of grandfather, Thomas Kierman, Port Orange, N. Y., Thursday, Oct. 4th, at nine thirty a. m., and eleven o'clock at Otisville, with requiem high mass. Interment at Otisville.

ROBERTSON.—At Denton, Oct. 2d, '94, Jane B. wife of Charles M. Robertson, in her forty-second year.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral at the residence of her father, Amos M. Byerson, Thursday afternoon, at two-thirty o'clock. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

After Scarlet Fever

My little son Lemuel, was left with a gathering in his head and a large swelling on one side of his neck, which caused his head to be drawn over towards one shoulder. This continued for some time, and all we could do and all the doctor's medicine we could give him, were of no use. But we began to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after taking only one bottle he was perfectly cured, and has been in good health ever since. My faith in Hood's

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OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Fair, Thursday, preceded by local thunder storms this evening.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Brock's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 56°; 12 m., 65°; 3 p. m., 65°.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Craig's shoe-hand made, are good values.
—Young Mrs. Winthrop, at the Casino, Saturday evening.
—Special sale of unbleached muslin and indigo prints at Geo. B. Adams & Co.'s.
—Bids wanted for building barn and pigery at the State Hospital.
—Money to loan by the Homestead B. and L. Association.
—Housekeeper wanted.
—Four rooms to let. Enquire at 169 Linden avenue.
—Fall and winter overcoats, suits, etc., for sale by Isaac Lipfeld.
—Diamond dyes. See adv.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—The third degree was conferred on four candidates at Hoffman Lodge last evening.

—Several members of the 24th Separate Company practiced at the new rifle range yesterday afternoon.

—Jockey James Murphy had three wins and a second at Washington, yesterday.

—The total receipts of Wayne county fair were \$3,300, of which \$1,700 was taken in at the gates.

—Twenty-three contestants will participate in the Honesdale bicycle races, to-day.

—Mr. David L. Conkling will lecture on the temperance question at Nicholson's Hall, North End, tomorrow evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

—The Provident Building and Loan Association, of Paterson, Monday evening, sold \$1,400 at premiums of from 1 to 2 1/2 per cent.

—A typographical error in last night's Argus announced that the Turn Verein hop would be held last evening. The hop will be given this Wednesday evening.

—John Heher, fourteen years old, is dying in Binghamton of lockjaw, caused by running a splinter in his foot while going down stairs in his bare feet, a few days ago.

—An apron and necktie social will be given by the Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Congregational Church, Friday evening. Proceeds for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A.

—The Mrs. W. J. Stevens's next organ recital will take place at the Congregational Church, next Monday evening, Oct. 8th. Miss Bertha Morgans will be the vocalist.

—The employees of the Borden condensery at Walkkill, Ulster county, will have an outing day, to-morrow. A band from New York will furnish music and many guests from the city will be present.

—Recorder McCroskery, of Newburgh, who has been on the bench several years, performed his first marriage ceremony, yesterday. The parties were Miss Phoebe E. Hawley and William S. Baker.

—The meeting of the young ladies' minstrels, last evening, was well attended and much interest manifested. Another meeting is to be held, to-night.

—A house on Washington street, Matamoros, owned by Mr. Van Horn, of Dingman's, and occupied by a family named Munson, was destroyed by fire, Tuesday evening. The fire is supposed to have started from a lamp left burning while the family were out of the house.

—Arrangements have been made to hold weekly meetings, Sunday afternoons, in the chapel at Tri-States. Such meetings were held for several years after the chapel was built, the pastors of the Port Jervis churches alternating in conducting them, but they were discontinued some years ago.

—While cutting corn in his garden last week, Hon. George W. Ray, of Norwich, ran a corn leaf in his eye. Inflammation followed and he went to New York to consult an oculist, who found that the sharp edge of the leaf had cut a small piece out of the eyeball. No serious results are feared.

—"Tom Cleary," whose real name is Michael O'Brien, and who lived in Newburgh until he entered the prize ring, eight or nine years ago, is under arrest at Helena, Montana, for killing a man in the ring, Monday night. He struck his antagonist a heavy blow back of the ear which resulted in his death.

—It is sometimes with newspapers, as with individuals, that words are used, things said, that are susceptible of being given a meaning not at all intended. An instance in point in the newspaper was had, yesterday, in these columns, when speaking of Mayor Stansbury and the new street matter, the words, "public office is not a private snap," were used. Now, nothing could have been further from the intention of the writer of this than to have it understood that he was reflecting upon the Mayor's personal and official integrity, which would be the very last thing he would be capable of, knowing, as he does, that, however Mayor Stansbury might err in judgment, he is altogether incapable of such abuse of the prerogatives of his honorable office.

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ALDERMEN AND FIREMEN.

A CONFERENCE AT THE COUNCIL ROOMS, LAST NIGHT.

But There Came Near Being No Conference for Fire Department Officers Had Not Been Invited—Discussing the Fire Parade—No Carriages and No Collation for the Mayor and Council—Firemen Say They Have No Money to Spare—A Belated Invitation—Two Hours of Talk But Nothing Agreed On.

A special meeting of the Common Council was called by Mayor Stansbury for last evening, to confer with the Board of Engineers and officers of the several companies of the fire department, and "to have a little talk with them" with a view to adjusting any differences between the Council and the department which might interfere with the harmony which should prevail between the officials and the firemen.

At 8 o'clock sharp, there were present in the Council chamber the Mayor, President Dorrance, Aldermen Funnell, Bowler, Mance and Sinsabaugh, and two reporters. After the roll call, the Mayor announced the object of the meeting, but said that none of the invited guests seemed to be present.

Alderman Mance made a motion to adjourn, which was promptly seconded by his colleague from the Second Ward, Alderman Sinsabaugh. The motion was put and carried, and at five minutes past eight the meeting stood adjourned.

FIRE DEPARTMENT OFFICERS SENT FOR.

During an informal talk with the reporters immediately after adjournment it was developed that no invitations or notices had been sent by the clerk to any of the officers of the fire department, and their absence was therefore easily explained.

An informal discussion then followed between the Aldermen and the reporters, and it was finally suggested that an effort be made to get the department officers together at once, and volunteers were sent out to corral them. Chief Thorpe was found in consultation with Assistant Higham at the latter's hotel, and Assistant Schmidt was found at his restaurant.

A CALL TO DUTY.

They were willing to meet the Aldermen, and accompanied the committee to the Corporation Rooms. They had barely entered the room when the fire bell rang, and it was then that their fealty to duty was clearly demonstrated. No matter what differences may exist between the firemen and the present Board of Aldermen, the former never swerve in their attention to duty when the call is sounded.

After the fire was extinguished the firemen and Aldermen reassembled. Foreman Schoonmaker and Assistant Edwards, of Excelsiors, and Foreman Dugan, of Eagles, had joined the Department officers and the first gun was fired by His Honor, the Mayor.

MAYOR STANSBURY TALKS.

He stated that on Monday morning, the Chief had called upon him and had stated that the Board of Engineers and officers of the Department had decided to employ but one band, the Pioneer, and that each company had voted to contribute but \$5 toward the expenses of the parade out of the \$350 which would receive from the \$350 appropriation.

This meant that no provision had been made for the usual carriages and collation for the Aldermen and Mayor, which had always been paid for out of this fund. The Mayor was astonished to think there was any feeling against the Board and thought that in conference the difficulties could be easily adjusted, and asked to hear from the Chief.

CHIEF THORPE EXPLAINS.

Chief Thorpe then explained to the Council what the differences were, as he understood them. For a number of years past, each company of the department had received \$100 for the expenses of an annual parade. With this money the companies had hired a band and had paid for a banquet, after being compelled to put their hands in their pockets for more money to meet expenses over and above the sum received from the city.

This sum the present Council had seen fit to reduce one-half, and the firemen had decided to do away with the usual band expenses, hire one band for the whole department and use the balance of the appropriation for their usual banquets.

EXPLANATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL.

Then followed explanations from the Mayor and Aldermen as to the reasons for reducing the appropriation. The Council had been given to understand that this was to be an "off year" in the department; that none of the companies expected to entertain a visiting company, and therefore as the budget was large it was decided to cut the amount in two for this year and next year,—while they could not guarantee to double the amount, but thought that it might be done by the next board.

Remarks were made by Aldermen Greene and Mance, Foreman Schoonmaker, Assistant Edwards, Assistant Chief Higham and Foreman Dugan. The action of the firemen was defended by the speakers, who with one accord thought that the sum of \$100 was little enough to receive as their yearly allowance, and that as the Aldermen had seen fit to economize they too had done the same thing.

A DELATED INVITATION.

The clerk finally stated that as yet the Mayor and Board had received no invitation, either to ride or walk in the parade or to inspect the firemen.

The chief arose and said that this was probably so; that he had not issued a written invitation, but thought that when he had appeared before the Board, at a recent meeting, informing them of the date selected by the Board of Engineers and officers he had given them to understand that their presence was desired.

If it would be more pleasing to the Council he would now extend a verbal invitation to them to inspect the department. This was accepted by the Mayor in behalf of the Council and the meeting adjourned.

The conference lasted until 11 o'clock, but beyond airing the differences it can be said that little was accomplished.

The arrangements as already made by the engineers will in all probability be carried out. The firemen will parade with one band and the Aldermen, should they decide to inspect the parade, will probably do so on foot, and should they decide to eat, drink and smoke on that occasion will, most likely, do so at their own expense.

THE FIREMEN'S PARADE.

The Programme for the Day—Positions in Line and Line of March.

To-morrow is firemen's parade day, and for the first time in many years the Middletown Fire Department will parade without a visiting company in the line. The following is the programme for the day:

At 1 p. m., at the Chief's three double taps, the companies will assemble at their respective houses.

At 1:30, Chief's call, companies will take position in line. At 2 o'clock the Board of Aldermen will inspect the companies, the parade starting immediately afterward.

POSITION IN LINE.

Pioneer Band.
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Eagle Hose Co.
McQuoid Engine Co.
Pioneer Engine Co.
Ontario Hose Co.
Waalkill Engine Co.
Excelsior Hook and Ladder Co.

HOW THE COMPANIES FORM.

Mombagens company on North street, right resting on Wickham avenue, and the other companies form on North street according to numbers.

LINE OF MARCH.

North street to Wickham avenue, to West Main street, to South street, to Washington street, to Academy avenue, to East Main street, to North street, to Depot street, to James street, passing in review at the Russell, to West Main street and disband.

McQuoids will hold a festival at the Assembly Rooms in the evening.

Waalkills will hold a private hop in their truck house, and Ontarios will have a dance at Nicholson's Hall.

HYMENEAL.

Holly—Scott.

Robert W. Holly, a machinist in the employ of Scott, Coleman and Miss Carrie S. Galt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen S. Scott, of North street, this city, were married, last evening, at the residence of Rev. Dr. Rawwood, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church.

The young couple will, for the present, reside with the mother of the groom, No. 4 Spring street.

PERSONAL.

—Postmaster Elwood, this morning, received a letter from Mr. Thomas J. Lyon, formerly of Port Jervis, who is a clerk in the Government Printing Office. He recently received a promotion and now holds a responsible position in the department.

—The friends of William H. Harrison, for several years lineman of the Postal Telegraph in this city, will be interested to learn that he recently occupied the pulpit of Centenary M. E. Church, New York, by invitation of the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. G. Oakley. Although Mr. Harrison is still in the employ of the Postal Company, he finds time to do considerable religious work.

Big Blaze, Much Smoke, Little Damage.

At 9 o'clock, last evening, an alarm was sounded from box 37 at the condensery. Fire was discovered in the second story of James Laugan's hotel Fulton street, between South and Canal streets. A burning mattress in a sleeping apartment made a big blaze and a great amount of smoke but was quickly extinguished without much damage. The fire occurred in rooms occupied by Mrs. Foley and is supposed to have started from her pipe, while she was smoking in bed.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Work Begun on the Goshen End of the Electric Road—A Public Meeting to Discuss the Trolley Franchise—A Successful Affair—Other Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—The Middletown-Goshen Traction Company began work on the Goshen end of its line, yesterday morning, a force of men and several teams having been set at work on Ryerson's Hill. The men employed are residents of this village and since work on the road is to be pushed with vigor during the next two months its construction will be a blessing to many Goshen men who might otherwise be employed.

—At the meeting of the village trustees, Monday night, the Middletown-Goshen Traction company again made application for a franchise that would permit it to lay tracks on certain streets in the village. The trustees announce that a public meeting will be held at the corporation rooms, Monday evening, Oct. 22nd, at 7 o'clock, to give all interested an opportunity to be heard.

—The supper at St. John's Hall, last night, was largely attended and dancing was indulged in by the young people until the small hours of the morning.

—The public sale of tickets for the Goshen Vocal Society course will begin Oct. 10th at Mr. C. E. Mills' paugh's dry goods store.

—A dancing class will be opened by Miss Kate Pope, of Newburgh, at Purdy's Hall, Oct. 10th.

—Danny Kiernan and Fred B. Hook are in New York, to-day.

IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

Work Begun at the Goshen End of the Trolley Road—Pleasant Social Events—The Drunkard's "Providence" Still Watchful.

From a Special Correspondent.

—Work has been begun on the trolley road on the outskirts of this village and soon the electric cars will be dashing across the country, like the "jabber wock," of Alice in Wonderland fame, that "came whirling through the tulgey wood and burbled as it came."

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gott gave a card party at their home in this village, last Monday evening.

—It is reported that 800 invitations have been issued by Rev. R. B. Clark and wife, for their crystal wedding, next Thursday evening.

—There has always been a saying that there is a providence that watches over drunken men and keeps them from harm. Just why this should be so, it is difficult to understand. Doubtless, it is one of those ways of providence that are past finding out, for they are not generally the most valuable portion of any community. Perhaps when the other gods and goddesses of mythology were done away with, Bacchus remained behind to protect his votaries,—at any rate every one has known plenty of instances where the man under the influence of liquor has fallen down a steep place uninjured, while his sober brother will break a limb from a slight fall.

Fresh proof of this theory is furnished in the case of the Minnesota man who recently drove a party consisting of his wife, sister-in-law and five children, to a fair in his neighborhood. While there, he became intoxicated and on his return journey, drove so furiously that a passer by stopped him, when he was within a block of the river and remonstrated with him. He promised amendment, but upon being released, he lashed his horses and drove them down the street, over the ferryboat right into the river. The only one of the party rescued was the drunken man; the seven sober members of the party being all drowned. This instance is enough to destroy the influence of severe temperance lectures for, while to be drunk is degrading, of what use is our respectability to us if we are all drowned?

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SHOTS HERE AND THERE.

AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY
AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

Farmers Disgusted With the Dutchess County Fair—A suggestion to the Traction Company—Bronson Howard as a Playwright

The Dutchess County Fair was a financial success, but in all other respects it is said to have been a failure. The exhibit of agricultural products was so small as to be farcical, and the show of horses and cattle, though of good quality, was small in point of numbers. In their eagerness to make money and to help out the entertainment of the crowds of visitors the management allowed all kinds of side shows, catch penny devices and gambling games on the grounds. The exhibitions given by the Nauteb dancing girls were especially objectionable, and brought down on the management the wrath of all the women and of all the good people who attended the fair. The dances, gross and indecent as they were, attracted many spectators, and there are people bold enough to say that the dances were the one thing that saved the fair from being flat, stale and stupid, from dismal, dreary lack of interesting features. The farmers of the county are disgusted with the result of their alliance with the Foughkeepsie boomers, who promised to rejuvenate the agricultural society and make of its fairs greater exhibitions than those of the State Society. It is now proposed by the agriculturists to go back to Washington Hollow and hold agricultural fairs, such as they used to hold before they listened to the alluring promises of the Foughkeepsie spellbinders.

The Traction Company's treasury would have been richer by a great many nickels if cars for the different parts of town had been in waiting in front of the Casino at the conclusion of the performance, Tuesday night. I don't want to seem anxious to help manage the electric road, but I'm very sure that the railroad company would consult its own interests and the comfort and convenience of the public, if on nights when there are large audiences at the Casino, it would make its schedule elastic enough to have cars for the different parts of town in front of the Casino at the close of the performance.

Bronson Howard, the author of "Young Mrs. Winthrop," which comes to the Casino, next Saturday evening, is the author of those great successes, "The Henrietta," "Shenandoah" and "Aristocracy." No other living playwright can lay better claim to the title of foremost American playwright than Mr. Howard. He has never had what may be called a flat failure, and so many of his plays have scored international reputations that they amply compensate for his other attempts. Not for this reason alone, though, should he be entitled to the distinction his admirers claim for him. His plays are all distinctly American, in flavor, characterization, humor, scene and local coloring and last, but far from least, in the cleanliness and honesty of their purpose.

Arthur Pinero, that brilliant English writer of plays, whose "Second Mrs. Tanqueray" is typical of the tendency of the English playwright towards the erotic in stage literature tries to explain the alleged necessity for descending to the dissection of the vices of society by making his cynical man of the world, Cayley Drummond, advance the theory that the young woman with the spotless white robe is not fit to take care of herself in the world. "Don't stain the frock," he says, "but before a woman is truly a woman she must have accumulated just so much dirt along the lower edges of her dainty muslin skirt." Such is the theory of these *fin de siècle* writers. A pure woman is not fit to grace society. She need not be grossly impure but absolute purity is out of the question.

There is no such tendency in Bronson Howard's plays. They teach a strong moral lesson without preaching; they instill the idea of the beauty of purity without unnecessarily urging the point. It is not by eloquent appeals to the gallery, not by bombastic phrases or exaggerated emphasis of the villain's wrong doings that he achieves this object, but by the beauty of his drawing of the feminine characters in his plays, by the clean, wholesome tone, the delicateness of refinement with which he surrounds his imaginary people, by the vigor of his manhood, the tenderness of his pathos, the refreshing quality of his humor. Such a play as "Young Mrs. Winthrop."

Free Christian Church Meeting.

The members, both old and young, of the Free Christian Church and Sunday School are earnestly requested to be present at the church meeting to-night at 7:30. Business of importance and interest to all concerned in the welfare of the church is to be transacted.

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OBITUARY.

Mrs. Charles M. Robertson.

Mrs. Jennie B. Ryerson, wife of Mr. Charles M. Robertson, a creameryman of Hamden, Delaware county, died at 6:30 o'clock, last evening, at the home of her father, Mr. Amos M. Ryerson, in Denton, in her forty-second year. The cause of death was malarial fever. She was sick seven weeks.

The family had arranged to move from Hamden to Poyntelle, Wayne county, Pa., and the household goods had been shipped, when she was taken sick and came to her old home at Denton. She grew steadily worse, and for a week before her death was unconscious most of the time.

Mrs. Robertson was born in Glenwood, and was the oldest of a family of ten children. Most of her life was spent in Denton. She was married fourteen years ago. She was a member of the Denton Presbyterian Church, having united with it when Rev. George H. Hick was its pastor. Mrs. Robertson is survived by her husband and by a son, Amos V., aged about twelve years. She is also survived by her parents and by seven brothers and sisters: John, Richard V. and George H., of Denton; Catherine, wife of Herman Caskey, of Dolsontown; Amos M., of New York city; Susan A., wife of William D. Canfield, of Slate Hill, and Lizzie H., wife of Elroy Giveans, of Middletown.

The notice of funeral appears elsewhere.

THE DROWNING AT PORT ORANGE.

How Thomas Kiernan and His Grandson Lost Their Lives.

Mr. P. H. McShane, who returned, last evening, from Port Orange, gives the following details as to the manner in which his brother-in-law, Thomas Kiernan, and the latter's grandson, Tommy Shields, lost their lives by drowning, yesterday. They had started to drive the cows to pasture, going along the tow path of the canal. Mr. Kiernan had gone ahead and happened to look back saw two cows fighting. The boy tried to separate them and was pushed into the canal. Mr. Kiernan ran to the spot and, although he could not swim, plunged in to rescue the boy. The latter's father saw what had happened from the house and running to where the man and boy were struggling in the water, was able, after an effort in which he was completely exhausted, to get them ashore, but not until after life was extinct.

The funerals of both victims of this sad affair will be held, to-morrow at 9:30 a. m., with a requiem high mass, at the Church of the Holy Name, Otisville, at 11 o'clock. Interment in the Otisville Cemetery.

A COW TORN BY DOGS.

Can Middletown Be Made to Pay for the Damage Done by Dogs from This City?

A party of young men from this city started, Sunday, for a walk in Wawayanda, taking with them a couple of half-blooded bull dogs. When Mr. David W. Reeve's farm was reached the dogs attacked one of his cows, biting it about the head and legs and tearing a long gash in her bag. The young men made no attempt to call off the dogs, and had not members of Mr. Reeve's family driven them away they might have killed the cow.

Mr. Reeve thinks some one should pay him for the loss he will sustain because of the wounds inflicted on the cow. The owner of the dogs, whom he has ascertained to be Sid Brown, of South street, is irresponsible and Mr. Reeve proposes to ascertain if the law for the protection of sheep is not broad enough to also protect cattle, and if there is not some way by which Middletown can be made to pay for damage done by the worthless curs, the keeping of which it encourages by exempting them from taxation.

Population of the State Hospital.

According to the Conglomerate there were, Wednesday, 1,048 patients in the State Hospital, in this city, of whom 527 were males and 521 females. During the week four patients were admitted and nineteen discharged.

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HOW TO CLOTHE CHILDREN.

A PROBLEM THAT MAKES MOTHERS STUDY.

A Minister's Wife Who Dresses Her Family in Excellent Taste—How a Small Income Went a Long Way.

The puckers in many a mother's forehead are deepened as she studies how to dress her boys and girls in a respectable manner on the small amount that is available.

A minister's wife in a small town near Middletown was confronted by this discouraging situation, but her woman's wit and a few ten cent packages of diamond dyes solved the problem, and handsome clothes were soon evolved from a pile of odds and ends.

The Home, Housekeeper, Ladies' Home Companion, and other household papers have published many articles telling how to use diamond dyes in making new clothing out of old. Pretty dresses, handsome cloaks, serviceable stockings, and gay hat ribbons and feathers are obtained at but little expense, not only for the children but for the mothers as well. The ease with which diamond dyes are used is really surprising. They make beautiful colors that never crack and are non-fading. "While there are other package dyes, there are none so easily used, nor such fast colors," says Jean Hunt in a recent number of *The Home*. "I have tried other dyes, but the diamond color the most goods. Their fast stocking black is the only black dye for cotton I have ever found that makes a fast black which never turns grey when washed."

WEEKS NOT GUILTY OF ASSAULT.

The Jury Wanted Him Reprimanded, but the Recorder Disregarded Their Request.

The jury in the Duryea-Weeks assault case brought in a verdict declaring Weeks not guilty of the charge of assault preferred by Duryea. The verdict was in writing and with it was coupled a request that the Recorder administer a reprimand to Weeks and admonish him not to use his cane in a like manner again. In discharging Weeks, the Recorder told him that he was extremely fortunate in having a jury trial, for had the case been tried before the court, he would have found him guilty. He refused to reprimand Weeks, as requested by the jury, since it had declared him innocent and he could not reprimand an innocent man.

The trial attracted a great many spectators and during the whole afternoon, the stuffy little apartment which does duty as a court room was crowded with interested listeners.

ARRESTED IN A CIVIL ACTION.

Criminal Proceedings Dropped in the Donovan Horse Case and a Civil Suit Begun.

Nathan Hulse and William Schupp, the young men who were charged by Liveryman Donovan with driving a horse to death on Sunday last, were arraigned before Recorder Bradner, this morning.

Their counsel, W. B. Royce, Esq., moved for their discharge on the ground that as the horse had died near Florida the Recorder had no jurisdiction in the matter. The motion was denied and the hearing was begun, but shortly afterwards, Alton J. Vail, Esq., counsel for Mr. Donovan, asked permission from the Recorder to withdraw the complaint. This was granted and the young men were discharged. As they started to leave the room, Sheriff Alexander, who was present, stepped up and served upon each of them an order of arrest in a civil action to recover the value of the horse. The bonds in the action were placed at \$500 each.

Y. M. C. A. ELECTION.

The Board of Directors Chooses Officers for the Ensuing Year.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association, last evening, the following officers were elected: President—J. Erskine Mills. Vice-President—David E. Lipp. Recording Secretary—H. B. Woodward. Treasurer—John McWilliams. The other members of the Board of Directors are: F. P. S. Crane, W. R. Southwell, W. Nelson Knapp, R. C. Tutill, Jr., J. W. Canfield, T. S. Hutchinson, C. H. Emde, W. W. Clark, C. J. Cooper, E. T. Hopkins, Cyrus G. Taylor.

Rebecca Wilkinson, of Brownsville, Ind., says: "I have been in a distressed condition for three years from nervousness, weakness of the stomach, dyspepsia and indigestion until my health was gone. I had been doctoring constantly with no relief. I bought one bottle of South American Nervine, which did me more good than any \$50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely medicine; a few bottles of it have cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world." Warranted the most wonderful stomach and nerve cure ever known. Sold by J. E. Mills Middletown, N. Y.

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PORT JERVIS'S SMALL-POX EPIDEMIC

Two New Cases—The Opera House Ordered Closed—Wild Rumors.

Two additional cases of small-pox were reported to the Port Jervis Board of Health, yesterday, making eleven in all. The new cases are in houses in which there had been other cases of the disease. The patients are to be removed to the pest house.

Mr. George Lea, manager of the Port Jervis opera house, was notified, to-day, by the Board of Health to bill no shows in Port Jervis on account of the small-pox epidemic.

Stories are current, on the strength of statements made by parties who have visited Port Jervis, that the number of cases of small-pox there is very much greater than the number reported by the health authorities. We were assured, however, this afternoon, by a reliable Port Jervis gentleman that only eleven cases have been reported to the health authorities.

THE 24TH'S RECEPTION.

A Committee Appointed to Select a Date and Make Arrangements.

The regular monthly meeting of the 24th Separate Company was held last evening at the armory. The only business of importance discussed was the annual reception, and the following committee was appointed with full power to select the date and make the necessary arrangements:

Capt. McIntyre, Lieuts. L. S. and J. D. Stivers, Sergeants W. N. Knapp and J. F. Dugan, Corporals Geo. L. Wallace, F. C. Royce and A. E. Nicholson, Privates E. J. Emerson, C. T. Dickerson, M. C. Ashley and Phil. Whitlock.

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending Oct. 1st:

LADIES: Jones, Mrs. Geo. Miller, Miss Elsie Meyer, Miss Emma Sullivan, Mrs. Rattie Decker, Mary C. GENTLEMEN: Linn, John W. McCarthy, Michael Marsh, Vincent Plazotti, George Pate, Harry H. Kaja, James C. L. Elwood, Postmaster.

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The passengers turned around in their seats to better note the something unusual. A noble looking woman had entered the car, followed by four daughters, ranging from fifteen to twenty years.

The mother had one of those good and wholesome faces that one so rarely sees, but that men and women always admire. The daughters had the same healthy, wholesome look. They were well born, well cared for, and, without

doubt, never suffered from any of the ills that curse many women.

Mothers owe a duty to their daughters that in too many cases is neglected. Nature has provided a time for purification, and if the channels are obstructed the entire system is poisoned and misery comes.

Mrs. Chas. Hines of Duncannon, Pa., a woman of large experience, in speaking of a mother's duty, says: "Watch carefully your daughters' physical development."

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